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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: **E. Richley et al**

Application No.: **09/448,088**

Group Art Unit: **2874**

Filing Date: **11/23/1999**

Examiner: **Not yet assigned**

For: **LASER LOCATING AND TRACKING SYSTEM FOR EXTERNALLY ACTIVATED TAGS**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
(FOR NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS)**

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time under Rule 1.136(a), as specified below, be granted for responding to the Notice of Missing Parts due 12/27/99.

- ☒ One (1) month - \$ 110.00  
☐ Two (2) months - \$ 380.00  
☐ Three (3) months - \$ 870.00  
☐ Four (4) months - \$ 1,360.00  
☐ Five (5) months - \$ 1,850.00  
☐ This Petition accompanies the submission of Missing Parts.

Please charge the fee for this extension of time, and any other fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.21, and 1.136(a) (but not 1.18), to Deposit Account No. 24-0025. Two duplicates of this sheet are enclosed.

Respectfully requested,

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